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SUBJ: PL-480 TITLE I WHEAT.

REF: LA PAZ 3429.

1. WITH A CLEAR SENSE OF DRAMA, UNDER SECRETARY ZAMORANON MIN COMM/IND, CALLED EMBOFFS TO AN URGENT MEETING JULY 27 TO REQUEST ASSURANCES THAT BOLIVIA WILL BE ABLE TO OPEN PURCHASE AGREEMENTS FOR THE 40,900 TONS OF WHEAT REMAINING TO HER UNDER THE CURRENT PL-480

AGREEMENT.

2. ZAMORANO WAS VISIBLY DISTURBED BY A CABLE THE BOLIVIAN FIRM SACI HAD RECEIVED FROM THE CONTINENTAL GRAIN COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE IN BUENOS AIRES. ACCORDING TO THE BUENOS AIRES CABLE, "BOLIVIAN WILL HAVE NO POSSIBILITY TO PURCHASE MORE PL-480 (WHEAT) THIS YEAR". CITING ALL THE REASONS OUTLINED IN REFTTEL, ZAMORANO SAID HE HOPED ALSO FOR ASSURANCES THAT THE GOVERNING FIGURE FOR WHEAT IMPORTS UNDER THE CURRENT AGREEMENT WOULD BE THE NUMBER OF TONS (100,000) RATHER THAN THE DOLLAR VALUE CITED.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, THE DEPARTMENT IS REQUESTED TO PROVIDE THE EMBASSY WITH THE BASIS TO GIVE ASSURANCES TO UNDER SECRETARY ZAMORANO.

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